

St. Mary's Falmouth & Helston RC Parish

The Parish is a part of Plymouth RC Diocese, a Registered Charity

Parish Church:- St Mary Immaculate, Falmouth serving St Edwards, Mawnan Smith

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22nd April 2018

4th SUNDAY OF EASTER (YEAR B)

Psalter week 4



FALMOUTH

SAT 6.30 pm FALMOUTH Nanette Barrett RIP
SUN 9.00 am MAWNAN SMITH Lina & John Gaunt RIP
SUN 10.45 am FALMOUTH People of the Parish

Weekday Masses (4th week of Easter)

MON ST GEORGE 10.00 am Sr Louise RIP
TUES Ss. Aldabert & Fidelis 10.00 am Terri Orders RIP
WED ST MARK 9.30 am Class 3 ST MARY'S SCHOOL
7.00 pm Josie Bee & Anne Noonan (niece) int
THUR Easter weekday 10.00 am Capt. John Molloy RIP MAWNAN SMITH
FRI Easter weekday 10.00 am Benjamin Williamson RIP
SAT Ss. Peter Chanel & Louis Grignion 10.00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION SATURDAY 5.30 pm to 6.25 pm

EXPOSITION Wednesday 10.30 am to 1.00 pm & Saturday 10.30 am to 11.30 am (finishing with Benediction)

HELSTON

St Mary's Helston, serving St Michael's Mullion.

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SUN 9.00 am HELSTON Owen Holmes RIP
SUN 11.00 am MULLION

Weekday Masses (4th week of Easter)

MON ST GEORGE 12 noon
TUES Ss. Aldabert & Fidelis 9.30 am
WED ST MARK NO MASS
THUR Easter weekday 6.00 pm
FRI Easter weekday 9.30 am
SAT Ss. Peter Chanel & Louis Grignion NO MASS

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION SUNDAY 8.30 am Helston, after Mass Mullion and weekdays after Mass

Morning/Evening prayer 15minutes before daily Mass.

Intentional Disciples

On **Thursday 26th April**, Fr Jon Bielawski will be here for an evening looking at the story of Moses who, despite his fears and doubts about his own abilities, responded to God's call to service. Moses' epic adventure can teach us much about our own doubts and our personal call to serve God. The evening will be entertaining with table top discussion. Fr Jon will also update us on the work of evangelisation teams across the diocese. Please join us at 7pm in the church hall. Everybody welcome.

The Mystery of God

This course continues in Helston at 6.40 pm for 7.00 pm in the hall on **Thursday 26th April**

Nun on the Run

Sr Augustine is doing the fun run in Dorchester organized by the Lions club on **Sunday 6th May** - this year for the St Vincent de Paul society. She would be most grateful for sponsorship. Thank you for your support every year.

Thank you

For your generous donations in the 'Lord's Pantry' basket, we would particularly appreciate items suitable for 'men of the road' eg. Crisps, tinned beans, chocolate bars etc.

Pro-Life Petition

At the back of church we have a petition asking the Government to resist calls to de-criminalise abortion, to do so would allow abortion for any (or no) reason up to birth, carried out by anyone and anywhere. This is a real threat not only to unborn babies but also their mothers and the wider society. Please sign.

Parish Holy Land Pilgrimage

After his pilgrimage to the Holy Land Fr Brian is considering a similar type for our parish in October or November 2019. Before he makes further enquiries with companies he needs some idea concerning numbers who may wish to go. The cost of a 7 day pilgrimage would probably be about £1,500. If you are interested please give your name to the parish office as soon as possible. No commitment is expected from you at this moment just an expression of interest.

First Holy Communion Parents

You are reminded that there will be a meeting for parents of the first holy communion candidates immediately after the children's session on **Tuesday 24th April** at St Mary's School.

Rosary on the Coast

This is a national event taking place on **Sunday 29th April** at 3.00 pm when we are all asked to pray a rosary for Faith, Life and Peace in the British Isles. As a coastal parish we will be joining in and would like as many people as possible to come along. For Falmouth we will be at Swanpool beach – nice big car park and a café for afterwards, the whole parish is very welcome.

Adoremus 2018

As some of you will know in September of this year a National Eucharistic Pilgrimage and Congress will take place in Liverpool. At least two people will be attending from our parish. The congress is taking place to celebrate the Eucharist in our lives.

Those of us not attending will have the opportunity of deepening our devotion to the Eucharist within our own parish communities. Adoremus prayer cards and bookmarks are available in the churches. Please take and use them

Vocations : 'True Survivor' for Teenage Boys

This summer half-term, **29th-31st May**, come along to True Survivor, a 'wild camping' experience offering formation in Christian manhood: Deer skinning, natural shelter building, Eucharistic Adoration, animal trapping, campfire cooking, Holy Mass, fire making, confession, and more! All in tents, in woodland, with no running water. It offers an amazing combination of training in survival skills and an explanation of how we need parallel skills in the spiritual life. This year's schedule includes input on the priesthood as a model of manhood and so those attending need to be open to considering a priestly vocation, ages 13-18. Please see the poster in the porch, contact Fr Dylan James our Vocations Promotor, or find it at www.beyondthewild.org.

Parish Fairtrade Stall

The next Fairtrade stall in Falmouth will be **Sunday 13th May**

March for Life

This annual witness to the sanctity of human life takes place in London on **Saturday 5th May** leaving the De Vere Connaught rooms at 1.30 pm and marching to Parliament Square for a rally finishing at 4.00 pm. There will be a coach going up from Plymouth, Crownhill leaving at 7.00 am (very early start!) and seats can be booked by calling Christine on 01752 791920. Cars can be left at Crownhill.

Join with Ann Widdicombe for lunch at the Abbey

Join the Catholic Children's Society for the day on **10th May** to raise funds for our local families in need. Mass will be celebrated at midday, followed by lunch and a talk from the Rt Hon Ann Widdicombe. Tickets £25 to include lunch and a tour of the grounds or the Abbey. Call our office 01364 645420



RUN TO THE SON:

Friday 22nd - Sunday 24th June, Buckfast Abbey. For the second year running, a weekend of prayer and inspiration to help equip you for mission. Main features include:- a day of growth in discipleship led by Fr. Oscar Ardila, a night vigil of prayer welcoming the dawn in the splendour of the Blessed Sacrament Chapel and a sunrise Mass with Bishop Mark. Tickets £50 inclusive of food and camping facilities. (Other accommodation available at additional cost). Booking forms and more detail available online at www.buckfast.org.uk/run-to-the-son or contact St. Peter's parish, Plymouth 01752 701660 if you have any queries.

Churches Together Mens Breakfast

Saturday, 14th May at 0830 at the Membly Hall Hotel, Falmouth Seafront, price £8. Book in advance with Leon, 07788805348.

Speaker will be new minister at New Life church, Rod McGlade.

***New* DCSD (Devon Cornwall Somerset and Dorset) Community Pilgrimage to Lourdes**

Leaving from Exeter Airport Friday 25th May -Friday 1st June. Staying at very centrally located hotel, full bed and board very near the Lourdes Domain. Youth and pilgrims needed. Currently fundraising and any donations kindly accepted. Cost £699 incl. day trip to Pyrenees for all.

See poster in Helston vestibule.

Also please ask Meg Trevaskis in Helston for any and all further details 07813118426.

News from Malawi

Our sponsored seminarian, Brother Joseph Kapalasa sends his greetings and gratitude for our parish sponsorship. His studies are going well and he asks for our prayers as May 19th approaches when he will be ordained a deacon

Quiet Day at Buckfast

The next in Fr Christopher's series of Quiet days in 2018 will take place on **Saturday 12th May** in the Violet Evelyn Hall at the Southgate Retreat Centre. The subject of this Quiet Day is: *Jesus said 'Love your enemies', is this at all possible?* The day begins with tea & coffee at 10.00am and runs until 3.00pm. Mass will be celebrated as part of the day and there will be an opportunity for quiet prayer, group discussions and confession. The cost remains at £15, to include refreshments and a light lunch. Booking forms available from office.

Dot Waddingham

A long term parishioner sends her thanks for the prayers and visits at her new home in Chypons Residential Home in Newlyn

Do you drive to Mass?

If you do and you have a spare seat in your car, would you be able to offer an occasional lift to someone who has no transport to get to Mass? Please contact Tony Schorah on 01326 317655.

From Father Brian

This weekend we celebrate the 4th Sunday of Easter, known as 'Good Shepherd Sunday'. We are asked on this Sunday to pray especially for vocations to the priesthood, the diaconate and the religious life. For our part may we do our best to create a parish where all people are encouraged to fulfil their God-given potential and gifts for the Gospel of Jesus. Whether we be clergy, religious or lay we share the common priesthood of baptism and are called by Jesus to serve Him and His holy church.

Point to Ponder

We all have a vocation we believe that God has placed us in this life to fill a special need that no one else can accomplish.
(St Francis de Sales)

Diary Dates – we are all welcome at all events – both sides of the parish!

Falmouth

Wednesday 25th April 3.30 pm Table Tennis – hall

Thursday 26th April 7.00 pm Intentional Disciples open meeting- hall

Tuesday 8th May 10.45 am Keep Fit - hall

Saturday 12th May – 7.30 pm Parish social evening in aid of South Sudan Refugees - hall

Saturday 26th May 2.00 pm – Cream Teas – hall & lawn

Helston

Thursday 26th April 6.40 pm 'Mystery of God' course - hall

Other locations

Tuesday 24th April -3.45 pm 1st Holy Communion children's session – St Mary's School

Wednesday 25th April 7.30 pm Life in the Spirit – Truro Catholic Church

Sunday 29th April – 3.00 pm Rosary on the Coast – Swanpool Beach

Thursday 10th May – CCS Day with Ann Widdicombe – Buckfast Abbey

Saturday 12th May – 10.00 am Quiet Day – Buckfast Abbey

Sunday 24th June 12.45 pm Parish Lunch for Fr Brian – Membly Hall Hotel

Sick

Please pray for those in the Parish who are sick or housebound.

Falmouth:

Kathleen O'Flaherty, Pip Owen, Gill Beaton, Colin Campbell, Lynda Peace, Eve Anderson, Annette Biagini, Dot Waddingham, Chris Gee, Stan Gwynne, Margaret Wright, Theresa Sullivan, Kerry Chellew, baby Isabella Grace, Finn Lyons, Katie Turner, Rebecca Emms, Mark Fanning, Ursula Emms, Kevin Allen, Suzy Hoyle, Pat Richards, Kerry-Ann Patrick, Peter Beaumont, Prue Sharrock, Victor Nicholson, Marta Castillo Capel, Nick Malone, Colin Jago, Jason Campbell, Stuart Wiseman, Stuart Fearn, Chelsea Robinson, Joe Ryan, Alison Wheatley, Dennis Scrace, Barbara Davis, June Martin, Sylvia Rowe, Jozef Stasiak, Winn Xenaky, Thyra Martin, Raymond Mulligan, Sister Martin, Mary Froom, Steven Pellow, John Harkin, David Malloy, Hazel Wilkes, Peter Bott, Pat Berney, Marek Jurina, Slavo Pekar, Eileen Quilter, Catherine Stark, baby Charlie Wilkes, Wilf Perham and Hugh McLoughlin.

Helston:

Lisa Tripconey, Mary Harry, Heather Ashton, Poppy De'Ath, Chris O'Brien, Mary Gilbert, May Gordon, Frieda Curnow, Joe Chapman, Isobel Ellis, Rita Eaton, Christine Cowen and Alex Mullaly.